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GOOD MEETING

Held by Benwood Citizens in the Interest of

THE PROPOSED NEW RAILROAD.

PRESIDENT A. P. FUNK MADE AN ADDRESS, TELLING WHAT THE COMPANY WILL DO IN THE EVENT OF MARSHALL COUNTY VOTING IN FAVOR OF THE \$100,000 BOND ISSUE TO-MORROW. PROMINENT BENWOOD SPEAKERS SUPPORT IT.

A meeting in the interest of the proposed railroad from the Pennsylvania coke fields to the Ohio river, was held at the Benwood city hall last night, as a means of enlightening Benwood citizens on the bond issue of \$100,000, to be voted on by Marshall county citizens to-morrow. The meeting, while only fairly attended, was very enthusiastic, and showed a strong sentiment among Benwood people in favor of the road.

Addresses were made by President A. P. Funk, of the railroad, and prominent Benwood citizens. Mr. Funk outlined the railroad's intention, if suitable encouragement were shown, of building a road which should touch the Ohio river at Moundsville, thence continuing to Benwood. The company, said Mr. Funk, didn't propose entering "the enemy's country," meaning that it expected to receive encouragement from Marshall county, and if the voters decided to grant the issuance of the \$100,000 subscription to the company's capital stock, the company would fulfill the conditions agreed on.

Among the citizens who argued in support of the bond issue were Hon. John W. Leach, Josiah Sinclair, Councilman John T. Manley and Squire A. L. Pelley, all of whom made stirring addresses. They endeavored with good success to make plain the advantages that would follow the operation of the new railroad. It was pointed out that Benwood already enjoys large tax receipts from the railroads, and would enjoy additional tax receipts from another railroad, thus getting back the interest, at least, on the money subscribed. Furthermore, the county would be built up along the line of the new road, giving more taxation. It was figured that the bond issue would only entail seventy-five cents additional taxation on a property owner now assessed for \$5,000.

The failure of a larger attendance at the meeting was regretted; but, nevertheless, the meeting was productive of much good, and the railroad advocates at to-morrow's election will show greater strength than was at first supposed. A rousing meeting was also held at Sherrard last night.

A Safe Company.

Elsewhere will be found the annual statement of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, of New York, W. W. Simpson, of this city, general agent. The report shows the generally excellent condition of the company, and that it has advanced in all departments. An increase of assets during the year 1897 of \$19,042,259 24; a cash income for the same period of \$54,162,503, and a disbursement of death claims, matured endowments, dividends and other accounts of \$34,059, is certainly a good showing. It appears from the report that the company has now a surplus of \$35,508,194. The statement also shows that the business of the company has been carefully managed and that the assets are well invested to the amount of \$253,785,437. The Mutual is one of the most reliable life associations in the country, and is doing business on perfectly safe lines, the plan of insurance being one of the best.

Equitable Winds Up.

The Equitable Insurance Company, at its meeting in this city Wednesday night decided to go out of business. This decision was reached by the stockholders after some deliberation. The company, which is composed of prominent members of the Masonic order throughout the state and in this city, has done fair business the past two years, but further continuance did not meet with favor, and as soon as practicable the company's affairs will be wound up.

To the Klondike.

John P. Robinson, of Parker City, Pa., and formerly of Wheeling, was in the city last night, visiting Squire C. S. Greer. This morning Mr. Robinson goes to Pittsburgh, and thence to the Klondike. He is a carpenter by trade, but of late years has been in the oil business, and has not settled on any particular calling in the gold fields, but will take advantage of any opportunity that may present itself.

Lady Grocery Clerks.

To-day and to-morrow lady clerks will sell soap, sugar, tea, tobacco, etc., at Redeker Bros' grocery, 2187 Market street. The lady clerks are members of the King's Daughters of the Second Presbyterian church, and adopt this novel method of raising funds to wipe out the church debt. They get a good share of the profits, and as market prices will rule, should get hundreds of customers.

For Stealing Umbrellas.

John McNamara, alias "Judy" Mack, who stole four umbrellas from John M. Dauer, proprietor of "The Racket" store, on Market street, was sentenced by Justice Rogers, to 30 and costs and thirty days yesterday. "Judy" was caught walking off with the umbrellas by Mr. Dauer.

Three Mills Start.

It is likely mills 8, 9 and 10 at the La Belle tin mill will go on Monday morning, but mills 5, 6 and 7 may not get on in three weeks yet. The cylinder head which blew out of the engine Friday night has been sent away for repairs.

Case Dismissed.

Justice H. C. Petermann yesterday dismissed the suit of ex-Justice George Arkle against Squire Greer. The suit was the result of a judgment rendered against Mr. Arkle for \$3 50, in the recent "trunk case."

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CHARLES A. GRIFFIN DEAD.

A Former Resident of Wheeling, and Union Veteran of the First West Virginia Infantry, Passed Away at Beaver Pa.

The Argus and Radical, of Beaver, Pa., contains the following account of the death of Lieutenant Charles A. Griffin, who was an officer in the First West Virginia Volunteer Infantry:

Lieutenant Charles A. Griffin, of College avenue, Beaver, died at his home Saturday morning, at 8 o'clock, aged about sixty-three years. The deceased had been in ill health for over a year, and it had been apparent for a long time that he was slowly passing away. He was lieutenant in the army, very patriotic, public spirited, well informed, and always took an active part in public affairs. He was a Republican, quite a successful politician, and was twice elected clerk of courts, serving the county in that capacity with credit to himself and the county. He was also elected constable and assessor for a number of years, and in whatever capacity he served he labored diligently and faithfully. He was married to Miss Julia Somers, a sister of Mrs. Edgar, Mr. Milo Somers, the late Mrs. M. Weyand and Mrs. Zella Moore and Mrs. Carson. He leaves a wife and six children.

The funeral services were held at the late residence Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and were largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. M. A. Riser, pastor of the Beaver M. E. church, assisted by the Rev. William Cox, D. D. Several beautiful selections were rendered by a choir composed of Mrs. A. B. McGraw, Miss Mary Hlee, W. H. Harper and G. C. McJunkin. A number of floral offerings were placed on the casket. The pall-bearers were S. P. Stone, Hon. A. J. Lawrence, Frank A. Judd, Philip Crowl, W. A. Brunton and William Holmes. The interment was private in Beaver cemetery.

A sketch of his military career, as furnished by himself, and published in the Intelligencer of September, 14, 1887, is given below:

Lieutenant Griffin was a resident of Wheeling when the war broke out, and he enlisted in the First West Virginia Volunteer Infantry, under Colonel Kelley, and was made a lieutenant in Company B. He was one of the boys who saw early service, being in the battle of Philippi. It was there, in the morning, before breakfast on that historic day, that Lieutenant Griffin, reconnoitering with Frank Taylor, Finley McKinley, Jim Emory, William H. Travis and several other soldiers well known here, saw a rebel flag floating over the headquarters of General Porterfield, and he resolved to capture it, and did.

Last night Lieutenant Griffin showed this flag to an Intelligencer reporter. "When I saw it," he said, "I said to the boys, 'Boys, God and I are going to have the credit of lowering that flag!' I made a rush for it, and just then I saw some Johnnies coming through an orchard a little piece off. I knew I would have to be quick, and so I drew my sword and cut the ropes. I am not saying what these holes in the hunting are, but I am alive, though those Johnnies did their best to take the flag from me."

The flag is seven by fifteen feet, and has three stripes—red, white and red, and a field of blue five by five feet, with fifteen five-pointed stars in a circle. There are several holes in it that look like bullet holes.

In the Intelligencer of one morning late in June, 1861, was printed the following paragraph:

We were yesterday shown by Lieutenant Griffin a large secession flag, captured during the recent brush at Philippi. Lieutenant Griffin cut it from a tall pole, from the top of which it was fluttering in the early morning breeze. He brought it up for the purpose of presenting it to the Union ladies of LaBelle, from whom the boys have many kindnesses to acknowledge.

This intention Lieutenant Griffin carried out. At a meeting of the ladies of La Belle street, held at the residence of Mrs. Andrew Glass, he turned the flag over to them, and Mrs. Glass was named as its custodian, and has kept it in her possession ever since, until yesterday, when she loaned it to its captor for a few days.

The flag was seen by several of the lieutenant's old comrades last night, and was fruitful of reminiscences.

Lieutenant Griffin says Mr. A. D. Work, of this city, was the first Union soldier wounded in the war, and Colonel Kelley the second.

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DIED.

REITZ—At the residence of his mother, No. 633 Market street, on Tuesday, March 1, 1898, at 8:40 o'clock p. m., WILLIAM REITZ, in his 66th year. Funeral services Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Mt. Wood cemetery.

REILLY—On Wednesday, March 2, 1898, at 9 o'clock p. m., JOSEPHINE M., wife of George V. Reilly. Funeral from the family residence, No. 137 Eoff street, Saturday morning at 8:45 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Joseph's Cathedral at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Mt. Calvary cemetery.

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